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Description

This collection contains material pertaining to the life, career, and activities of Henri Temianka, violin virtuoso, conductor, music teacher, and author. Materials include correspondence, concert programs and flyers, music scores, photographs, and books.

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CALIFORNIA CHAMBER SYMPHONY SOCIETY, INC.

HENRI TEMIANKA FOUNDER / DIRECTOR

June 1, 1983

Mr. Neil M. Armstrong
Vice President/Director
The Banff Centre
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Dear Neil:

The material you sent me on your international string quartet competition was much appreciated, as was your letter of March 30 following your visit with me in Los Angeles. You are too far away for me to "drop in." However, let us explore my availability on an official basis if there should be any future quartet competitions. As the founder and leader of the Paganini Quartet, which during the 20 years of its existence appeared in almost every capital and festival of the world, and made innumerable recordings for RCA Victor, including some with Artur Rubinstein, I hope I am not considered unworthy of joining your other illustrious judges.

I am at present engaged in the arduous task of completing a television documentary with my orchestra, to be followed by a music festival cruise. I trust all is going well at the Banff Centre, and send you and all my friends my warmest regards.

Yours cordially,


Henri Temianka

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